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At Guayaquil, 57 cases of plague, with 28 deaths, and 47 cases of yellow fever, with 26 deaths, were reported. At Huigra, 14 cases of plague, with 3 deaths, were reported.

Month of June. Nine bills of health issued and 8 vessels fumigated.

At Guayaquil, 29 cases of plague, with 15 deaths, and 25 cases of yellow fever, with 10 deaths, were reported. June 26, two mild cases of smallpox were isolated. All contacts were vaccinated.

At Huigra no new cases of plague were reported, but 3 cases, with 1 death, were reported at Chunchi, a locality 15 miles farther along the line of railway.

#### HAWAII.

##### *Report from Honolulu—Examination of rats for plague infection.*

Chief Quarantine Officer Hobdy reports, July 19:

#### HONOLULU.

*Week ended July 10.*

Total number rats taken.....	419
Trapped.....	418
Found dead.....	1
Examined bacteriologically.....	332
Plague rats.....	0
Classification of rats trapped:	
<i>Mus alexandrinus</i> .....	43
<i>Mus musculus</i> .....	180
<i>Mus norvegicus</i> .....	85
<i>Mus rattus</i> .....	100
Average number of traps set daily.....	1, 294

A rat sent from Hilo was proven to be plague infected.

##### *Plague case on steamship Korea.*

Doctor Hobdy further reports, July 21:

The steamship *Korea* on arrival at this port on July 20 had on board a case of plague in the person of a Chinaman from Hong-kong. The case was removed and the vessel held. All compartments connected with the infected compartment were fumigated and passengers in the infected compartment were removed and bathed and their clothing was disinfected. No one was allowed to land and passengers for Honolulu will be held 7 days. The vessel was not allowed to come to the wharf at Honolulu until the case had been removed, contacts treated, and compartments fumigated, and then only from 7 a. m. till 5.30 p. m.

#### HONDURAS.

##### *Report from Ceiba, fruit port.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Jumel reports:

Week ended July 21. Present officially estimated population, 6,800. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.